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CONTROL STRATEGY FOR MULTIPLE AUTONOMOUS
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the above-identified papers constituting a Patent Application filed by the Department of the Navy on behalf of the above-named applicant.

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(1) Application papers